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NEWSPAPER ANALYSIS

50 WORDS

DAILY

MOST IMPORTANT VOCABULARY

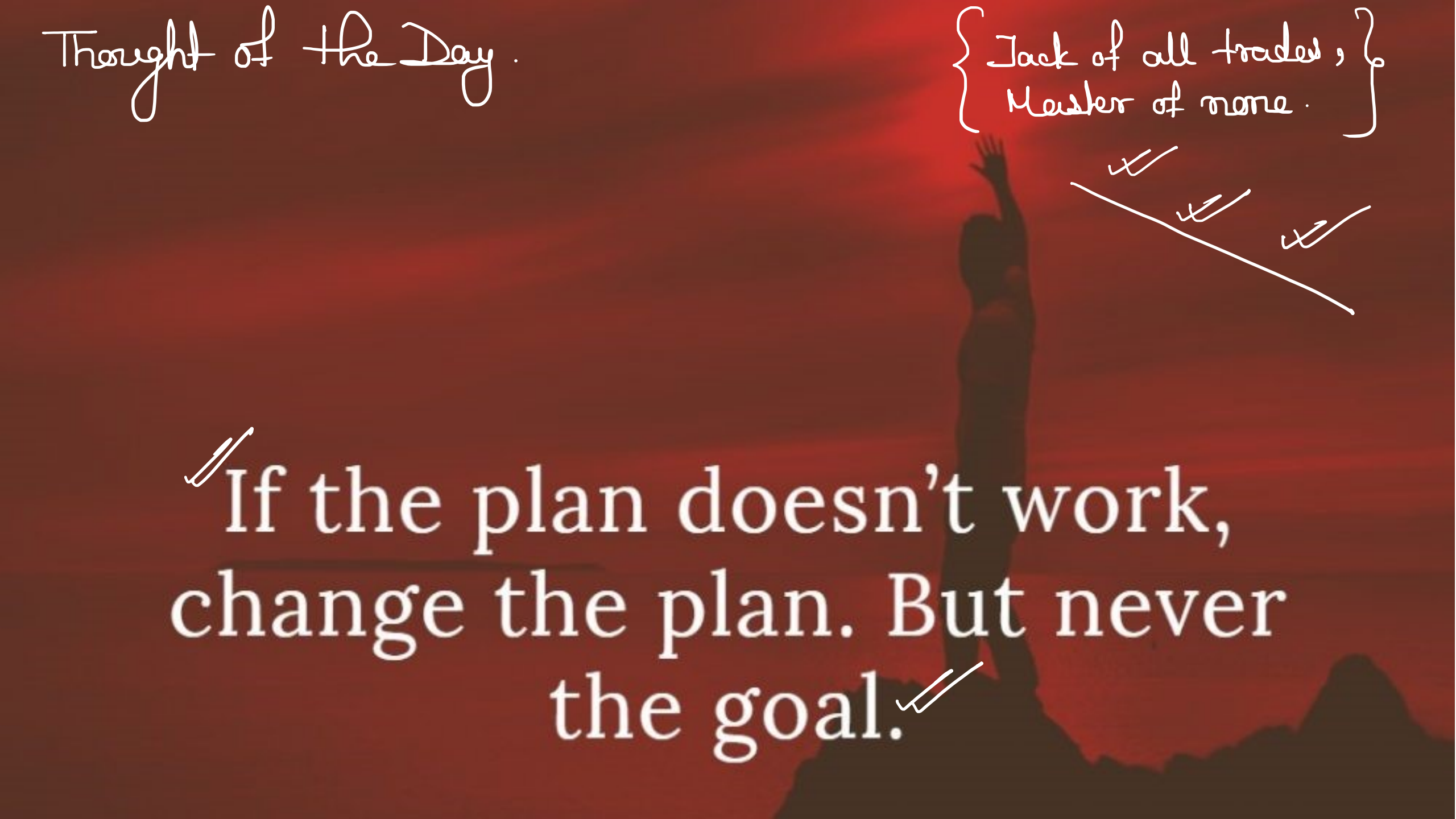
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17 SEP 2021



Thought of the Day.

{ Jack of all trades,
Master of none. }



✓ If the plan doesn't work,
change the plan. But never
the goal. ✓

TOPICS WE WOULD COVER

- **CHECK YOUR PROGRESS**

- a) synonyms
- b) antonyms
- c) one word
- d) idioms

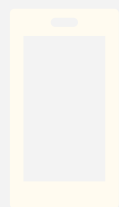
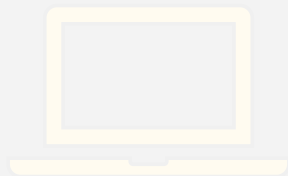
5 questions.

- VOCABULARY FROM ARTICLE + ANALYSIS+ spotting errors

Rest of the articles
10 words
(Hw)

LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS

ARE
YOU
READY??





Time for SYNONYMS

Vocabulary

VOCABULARY

Q1. Choose the synonym of 'Humbug'.

1. Comments
2. Sheer
3. Fairness
4. Hypocrisy

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words used to emphasize and gives a sense of "extreme"

(nothing other than)

VOCABULARY

Q2. Choose the synonym of 'Smattering'.

Modicum

none

✓ 1. Modicum

✓ 2. Smitten

3. Stride

4. Stuff

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Smite

Strike with a from blow.

walk with long steps.

knuckle sandwich

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Q3. Choose the synonym of
Wizened.

1. Wrinkled

2. Beaten

3. Withered

4. Bore

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Q4. Choose the synonym of
'Rampage'.

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1. Raw

2. Wreck — *destruction*

3. Manner

✓ 4. Run riot

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Q5. Choose the synonym of 'Sparse'.

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1. Abundant

2. Plentiful

3. Thick

4. Scanty

more than enough.



5 question

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Time for ANTONYMS

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Q6. Choose the antonym of 'Harangue'.

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1. Tirade
2. Lecture
3. Panegyric
4. Diatribe

VOCABULARY

Q7. Choose the antonym of
'Upright'.

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1. Honest
2. Dishonourable
3. Honourable
4. Upstanding

VOCABULARY

Q8. Choose the antonym of **'Beguile'**.

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1. Charm
2. Attract
3. Repel
4. Enchant

VOCABULARY

Q9. Choose the antonym of
'Desolate'.

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1. Sadden
2. Cheer
3. Deject
4. Cast

is for

VOCABULARY

Q10. Choose the antonym of '**Innocuous**'.

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1. Safe
2. Harmless
3. Harmful
4. Bland

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X



Time for ONE WORD

VOCABULARY

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Q11. A fictitious name especially one assumed by an author

(1) nick name

(2) pseudonym

(pen name)

(3) sobriquet

(4) pet name

India — land of Diversity

VOCABULARY

Q12. Widespread scarcity of food

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- (1) hunger
- (2) drought
- (3) poverty
- (4) famine

VOCABULARY

Q13. Inflammation of gums

- (1) gangerene
- (2) gingivitis
- (3) conjunctivitis
- (4) orchitis

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Like

VOCABULARY

Q14. A book written by an unknown author

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- ~~(1)~~ anonymous
- (2) acrimonious
- (3) audacious
- (4) assiduous

hatred

VOCABULARY

Q15. An event that causes great harm to dams

(1) problem

(2) disaster ✓

(3) pain

(4) relief

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Time for Q16 – Q20

IDIOMS and PHRASES

VOCABULARY

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Q16. Hold your horses for a moment while I make a phone call.

- (1) Be patient
- (2) Stay out
- (3) Be quiet
- (4) Wait

VOCABULARY

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Q17
Q17. Sachin Tendulkar's batting skills make him a cut above the rest.

(1) taller than

(2) superior to

(3) senior to

(4) different from

VOCABULARY

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Q18. I am very interested to know the outcome of the debate, kindly **keep me in the loop.**

- (1) out of it
- (2) informed about the fees
- (3) informed about the last date of joining
- ~~(4) informed regularly~~

VOCABULARY

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Q19. The secretary's thoughtless remark **added fuel to the fire.**

- (1) added humour to the situation
- ~~(2) worsened the difficult situation~~
- (3) helped in improving the situation
- (4) prevented the situation

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Q20. He could not get money from his master because **he rubbed him up the wrong way.**

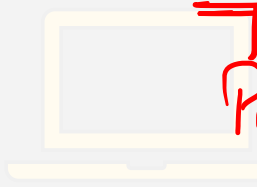
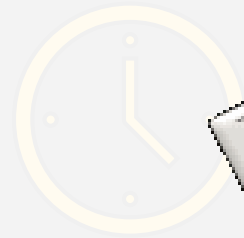
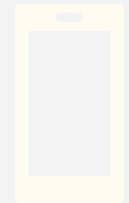
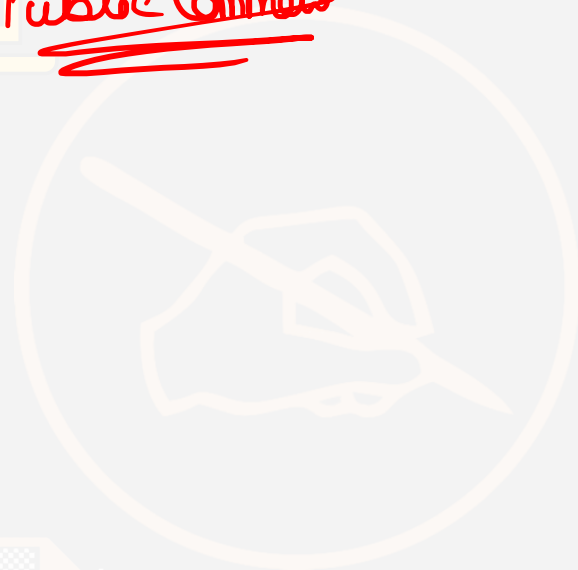
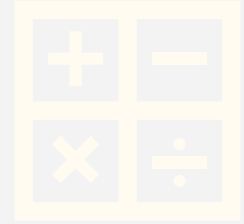
- (1) irked or irritated him
- (2) asked him to speed up
- (3) suggested a wrong method
- (4) advised him to be strict

SO IT'S TIME

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(Hw) Q 6 - Q 10

Public Comment

Let's start



ARTICLE

Delaying the inevitable

Something that cannot be avoided.

The Centre's relief to telcos can only be the first step in efforts to boost the stressed sector

The Union Cabinet's approval on Wednesday of a relief-cum-reforms package for the financially stressed telecom sector, though verily a step in the right direction, is at best only likely to delay the inevitable. In a tacit acknowledgment of the extent of stress in the sector as well as the far-reaching economic consequences of protracted distress in the industry, the Government decided to offer telecom service providers the option of a four-year moratorium on the payment of outstanding AGR and spectrum purchase dues. This one measure alone is expected to ease the immediate financial pressure on the telcos, especially at Vodafone Idea and Bharti Airtel.

collective effort

(5am - 11pm)

absolutely/certainly

aftereffects

overlong/prolonged

relieve

dominance

agency

(former)

Tone

(business / bet / long shot)

delayed

The venture created by the merger of the Indian unit of the U.K.-based Vodafone Group Plc and billionaire Kumar Mangalam Birla's erstwhile Idea Cellular Ltd. had deferred spectrum payment obligations and AGR liabilities that exceeded ₹1.68-lakh crore as of June 30. The Government's moratorium offer should, at least for now, relieve the burden of finding the funds to service these liabilities at the loss-making telco, giving it the space to focus on continuing to provide vital telecom services to about 27 crore wireless subscribers still with it. However, the woes at Vodafone Idea are deeper and symptomatic of the broader industry-wide maladies that have pared the once more-than-dozen-strong field to just three private players and one struggling state-owned company.

~~Informed~~ / Sicknesstrimmed.characteristic worry / afflictions.



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VOCABULARY

1) inevitable (adj)

–unavoidable, inescapable, inexorable, unpreventable, assured, certain

2) telcos (noun) – telephone company

3) Verily (adverb)

–absolutely, certainly, indisputably, indubitably, positively, realistically, undoubtedly, unquestionably, veritably

4) tacit (adj)

– implicit, implied, unexpressed, unspoken, unvoiced, wordless

5) consequences (verb)

- aftereffects, aftermaths, backwashes, conclusions, corollaries, effects, fruits, issues, outcomes

6) protracted (adj)

- longish, overlong, prolonged, endless, everlasting, interminable, persistent, permanent

7) distress (adj)

- affliction, agony, anguish, excruciation, hurt, misery, pain, rack

8) moratorium (noun)

- abeyance, cold storage, deep freeze, doldrums, dormancy

9) ease (verb)

– relieve, alleviate, mitigate, assuage, allay, soothe, palliate

10) venture (noun)

– bet, hazard, stake, wager, liberty, dark horse, long shot

11) erstwhile (adj)

– former, late, old, once, onetime, other, past, quondam

12) deferred (noun)

– delayed, prolonged, protracted, slow, sluggish, dilatory.

13) woes (noun)

-afflictions, agonies, anguishes, distresses, excruciations, hurts, miseries, pains

14) symptomatic (adj)

- characteristic, discriminating, distinct, peculiar, typical

15) maladies (noun)

-illnesses, ills, infirmities, sicknesses, troubles, affections, ailments

16) pared (verb)

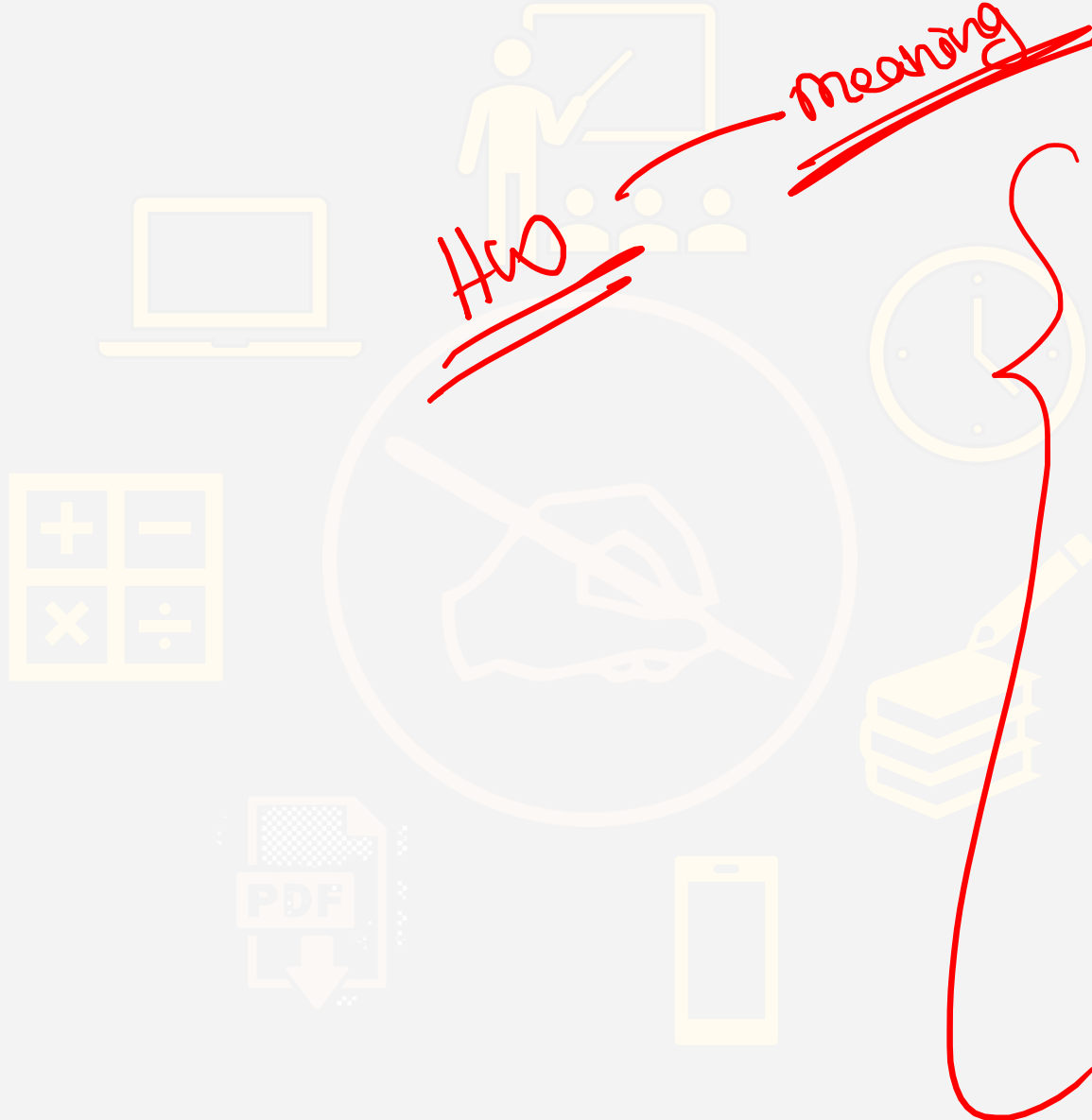
- nipped, polled, pruned, shaved, sheared, snipped, trimmed

VOCABULARY

1. MONUMENTAL (ADJECTIVE):
2. CHAOTIC (ADJECTIVE):
3. DIRECTIVE (NOUN):
4. UNANIMOUS (ADJECTIVE):
5. MOOT (VERB):
6. SAVAGE (ADJECTIVE):
7. AWFUL (ADJECTIVE):
8. STEEP (ADJECTIVE):
9. PERILOUS (ADJECTIVE):
10. RELIEF (NOUN):

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meaning



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